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| <b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b> | <b>Application No.</b><br>10/579,398<br><br><b>Examiner</b><br>Paul A. Chenevert | <b>Applicant(s)</b><br>TANIGUCHI ET AL.<br><br><b>Art Unit</b><br>3612 |
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**Date of Interview:** 21 April 2008

**Type of Interview:**

☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant    ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes    ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:  
*Of the record*

Claims discussed:  
*1-4 and 7-17*

Prior art documents discussed:  
*Of the record*

**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*Applicant's representative confirmed that no further papers have been submitted after the last Office action and that the application is abandoned.*

**Part III.**

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

**Status of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

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